

271. Opening of a Police station and Girls' School at Mangalam near Ponmanai.

*Mr. M. Madhavan Tampi* said that he wished to withdraw the first portion of the representation as he learnt that there was already a police station at Kulasekharam close by and pressed only the second part on the attention of Government.

*Reply.*—There is a Lower Primary School at Mangalam in which girls are also admitted.

272. Registration of Velimalathottam.

*Mr. T. Kumara Pillai (Kalkulam)* represented that the loss to Government and the inconvenience to the ryots resulting from the registration of these lands instead of leaving them open for public use were great. In former times, they served as pasture lands for the cattle of the locality and supplied manure and agricultural implements to the ryot population.

*Reply.*—The ownership of the land has been already settled on the recommendation of a former Peishkar. The land not belonging to Government, only a formal sanction had to be given on their part and this was recently done.

273. Connecting the Kumarapuram-Perunchilampu road with the Tovala-Chiramattam road.

*Mr. T. Kumara Pillai* urged the necessity of Government undertaking this work at an early date.

*Reply.*—This will be referred to the Chief Engineer.

274. Opening of a Veterinary hospital at Thuckalay.

*Mr. T. Kumara Pillai* brought forward this subject.

*Reply.*—This has been already answered. *Vide* subject No. 161.

275. Restoration of the Pampurivoikal.

*Mr. T. Kumara Pillai and Mr. K. Padmanabhan Tampi (Taluk Association, Kalkulam)* requested that the silt which had accumulated in the above channel might be removed to enable more water to flow along the same for the use of agriculturists.

*Reply.*—This is under consideration.

276. Construction of a branch irrigation canal from the Kodayar channel near Mangalam.

*Mr. T. Kumara Pillai* stated that if the proposed caul were opened it would be of great use to the wet lands of Pulla, Andur and other places.

*Reply.*—The Executive Engineer says that levels were taken for a line somewhere in the direction indicated, but the proposal was abandoned on account of the prohibitive cost due to heavy cuttings and of the smallness of the area to be served by the work. Nothing can therefore be done.

277. Irregularities of the Settlement officers in Party No. I.

This subject which stood in the name of *Mr. K. Padmanabhan Tampi* was withdrawn by him.

278. Construction of a sluice near Tiruvattar in the caul taking off from the Aruvikara river.

*Mr. K. Padmanabhan Tampi* prayed for this work being executed by Government.

*Reply.*—This will be referred to the Chief Engineer. The work seems to be an important one.

VILAVANCODE TALUK.

279. Neglect of irrigation works in Vilavancode.

*Mr. A. Sri Narayanan Tampi* (*Vilavancode*) said that, as he learnt that this subject had been already engaging the attention of Government, he did not wish to speak anything.

*Reply.*—This has been already answered. *Vide* subject No. 130.

280. Desirability of removing the Parassala hospital to Kuzhithura.

*Mr. A. Sri Narayanan Tampi* observed that this was one of the subjects brought forward last year and requested that early orders might be passed.

*Reply.*—At present, there is a London Mission Hospital at Thoduvetty, a Vaidyasala at Kuzhithura, and a Government hospital at Parassala. Hence, there is no necessity for providing Kuzhithura with a separate hospital.

281. Conversion of the trace road connecting the Kuzhithura-Thripparappu road